Updates on COVID-19 and Court Operations

What justices, judges and circuit court clerks need to know



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Update for May 6, 2020

Justices, Judges and Circuit Court Clerks:

Supreme Court extends guidance on custody and parenting time orders to May 31, 2020

The Supreme Court has extended the effective date of its guidance to parties with custody and parenting time orders during the pandemic. The order will be in effect through May 31, 2020. The guidance provides that although existing court orders control, reasonable accommodations must be made to account for extenuating circumstances related to the COVID-19 emergency.

<u>Administrative Order 2020-32</u>, dated May 5, 2020, replaces in its entirety Administrative Order 2020-14, dated March 27, 2020. There are no changes other than extending the effective date to May 31.

Please email your questions to <u>covid19@kycourts.net</u> and visit the <u>COVID-19 and the Courts</u> webpage for updates. Thank you.



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